



# RAYMOND RECORDER

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## School Opens Sept. 1st (Teaching Staffs Complete)

Answering the question on every lip of late, the Trustees of the Raymond School District today announced that school would commence on September 1st, next Wednesday.

The opening date applies to both public and high schools.

Teaching staffs of both schools are complete and Raymond should feel fortunate in this respect. Several districts report that they will open their schools with teachers who are ready for the opening day.

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Grade 6 Mrs. Pack, Reed Erickson; Grade 7 J. O. Hicken, Fred Nelson; William Nalder.

Both schools have had their year of cleaning and painting done and are ready for the opening day.

### SEWER NEAR COMPLETION

Householders will be able to connect to the sewer very shortly according to information given the Recorder by William Borge, of Henry Borge and Sons, Construction.

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**IMPROVE C.P.R. SERVICE**—A number of promotions in the important transportation department of the Canadian Pacific Railway, designed to give faster and more efficient service to the public, have been announced. Left to right above are E. D. O'Brien of Montreal who takes over the new post of chief of car moves; H. Chester, Winnipeg; and V. A. Smart, Toronto, both of whom become assistants to the general superintendent of transportation; P. W. Raines, Toronto, who will be the first superintendent of safety and train rules; and F. E. Howse, Montreal, who will be the first supervisor of station services. All of them will be their offices in Montreal effective September 1, and report to the general superintendent of transportation, Mr. O'Brien, assistant general superintendent of transportation at Montreal for the past five years, has been with the C.P.R. since 1911. Mr. Chester, inspector of transportation for the prairie and Pacific region, since 1944 joined the company in 1916; Mr. Smart, who last year took over the position of special representative, eastern region, has been 6 years C.P.R. service; Mr. Raines, for the past four years rules instructor for the eastern region has been with the railway since 1912, and Mr. Howse has been inspector, transportation department, since March of 1947 and with the road since 1917. Their jurisdiction will be system wide in the important department known as "the core of the railway" which sees to it that the Canadian Pacific's 1,800 locomotives, 75,000 freight cars and 2,700 passenger cars are at the right place at the right time.

## Work on Legion Hall Progressing

Although good progress has been made with the construction of the Legion Memorial Hall, a greater portion of the work still remains to be done.

The present effort of the Building Committee is to plan further work that the building be totally enclosed and completed on the outside before any wet fall weather sets in. The Legion area is requested to take notice of these intentions by reporting in greater numbers at the building site to assist in the construction work during the week ends.

Admittedly we are less than in the middle of the campaign that has been in progress for some time with the object of raising sufficient funds needed to complete the Memorial Hall.

The general response of the public has been good and a substantial percentage of the objective has been reached, but further and greater support is urgent.

To all our friends and neighbors in general we wish to remind that one of the primary objects of the Memorial Hall is to commemorate the services of the fallen in World War 2.

Out of the enlisted from Raymond and District, fourteen lost their lives in service to their country. There are things yet that can be done for those departed comrades. Can a helping hand not be extended to perpetuate the memory and deeds of the fallen by contributing generously to the Legion Memorial Building Fund now?

An important Legion executive meeting will be held in the Town Hall on Sunday, August 29th at 4:30 p.m. The Building Committee meeting will also be held immediately following the executive meeting. In view of the urgency of the matters on the agenda of both Committees all the committee members are urged to attend.

A general Legion gathering is also planned for September on the regular Legion night, the second Wednesday of the month, September 8th. In this connection all Legionnaires are well advised to watch for detailed announcements.

It is of interest to note that during his recent visit to Raymond Comrade Freese, Provincial Secretary of the Canadian Legion commended highly on the activities of the Raymond Branch in connection with the construction of the Legion Hall.

## Local Happenings

Mrs. P. W. Cope has returned home from visiting relatives in the east.

Mrs. Jack Finch left Monday for Vancouver having been called there by the illness of her father.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Pittaway have enjoyed a pleasant trip to the Pacific coast where they visited relatives. The last week they spent in Waterton visiting Mr. Pittaway's parents.

Mrs. Clara Nelson has had as her guest the past week, her daughter Mrs. L. Erickson and children of Picture Butte.

Mr. J. S. Follis is enjoying a visit in Calgary and Edmonton.

Mrs. Edna MacLeod and daughter Anne and Pat returned home from Calgary where they visited with Mrs. MacLeod's sister Hela.

Donnel Sabey was a patient in the local hospital this week, suffering from an infected foot.

Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Holmes have returned home after a pleasant trip along the California Coast, visiting relatives enroute.

**ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED.** Mr. and Mrs. Harry Robinson announce the engagement of their third daughter Jeanette Margaret, to Max M. Court, second son of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Court, all of Raymond. The marriage will take place September 20th at the Stake House in Raymond.

Miss Irene Hales of Provo, Utah is visiting here, a guest of Mrs. F. R. Taylor. Miss Hales is a member of the Glacial Board of the YLMA.

Mrs. Lee Brewerton had as guests the past week end her niece Mrs. Kalin and Mr. Kalin and children of Missoula, Mont.

Mrs. George Schneidt and Mrs. Millie Harris have enjoyed a visit from their brothers and family this week. Here from Vulcan were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Nickerson and boys and Mr. Bud Nickerson.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Meeks and children and Miss Leora Dahle returned home this week from a trip which took them through Waterton and many points in Montana.

Little Brenda Larsen entertained at a little birthday party for her friends Monday afternoon the occasion being her sixth birthday. The little ones enjoyed an afternoon of

games, followed by a dainty lunch. Miss Perl Carter of Nelson, B.C. is visiting Laveda Larsen.

Miss Barbara Schneider, nurse in training in Salt Lake, returned to her duties Tuesday, after spending the past three weeks visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schneider. The family during her visit enjoyed a trip to Banff, Jasper, and Lake Louise. Barbara has one more year of training to complete, her course.

Mrs. Mabel Heninger of the Girls Program of the 3rd Ward, entertained her group of girls at a weiner roast Friday. Games singing and story telling around the campfire were much enjoyed.

Mrs. June Alfred had as her guests last week her sister Mrs. Jack Ford and Mr. Ford of Ogden Utah, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Brightwiser of Pocatello Idaho.

Girl friends of Mrs. Lloyd Prosk nee Ardelle Palmer, entertained at a calling shower for her Thursday at the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Palmer.

The new bride was the recipient of many lovely gifts. Out of town guests included Mrs. Dr. Roy, Miss Jackie Nilsson of Lethbridge, and Mrs. Don Pengilly of Stirling.

The Second Ward Special Interest group met last week at the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Schneider when a good number enjoyed a chicken supper.

Mrs. Nemedi and Mrs. Helen Fudra returned last week from a visit to Mrs. Nemedi's daughter in Los Angeles.

Mrs. Roxie R. Robins of Salt Lake and Mrs. Edith R. Stevens of Los Angeles have been guests here of their brother William Rodeback, the past week. Among those entertaining them have been Mrs. J. H. Walker, Mrs. Honnie Heninger and Mrs. Robert Graham. Mrs. Lexlie R. Burton of Cardston was also a visitor at the home of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Walton accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ira McBride have returned from a motor trip to Banff and Calgary.

Mrs. Owen Larsen entertained at dinner Tuesday evening when her guests included Mr. and Mrs. Roy Larsen and children of Cardston and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Barton of Stirling.

## FUNERAL SERVICE FOR HUGH JENSEN

Funeral services for Hugh Jensen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Jensen who suffered a heart attack Wednesday, was held from the Stake House Saturday afternoon. Bishop Golden Snow was in charge of the service with Gerald J. Gibb conducting the choir.

Speakers were President L. L. Palmer, Bishops J. O. Hicken and J. Golden Snow, friends of the family who spoke comforting messages. Musical numbers included a vocal trio, "Nightingale and Rose," by Mesdames Laura Watson, Evelyn Melchior and Gen. Harkness; a violin duet son of Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Jensen who suffered a heart attack Wednesday, was held from the Stake House Saturday afternoon. Bishop Golden Snow was in charge of the service with Gerald J. Gibb conducting the choir.

Many relatives attended from Lethbridge and Grassy Lake. Interment was in the local cemetery with Bishop William Jensen dedicating the grave.

## Welling NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Rabidon and Miss Rabidon of Calgary have been visiting Mrs. Rabidon's parents Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Peterson.

On Sunday the following motored to Waterton taking a picnic lunch Mr. and Mrs. Glen Bullock and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bullock, Mr. and Mrs. E. K. Bullock and their guests Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hutchinson of Muncie Indiana. On the way home the party stopped to visit a few hours with Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Wilde and family of Mountain View.

Miss Viola Schumers of Ottawa is visiting her sister Mrs. Leonard Mehew and family. On returning to Ottawa she will be accompanied by her niece Miss Jean Mehew who is intending to take a business course.

The 15 and 16 year old group of Sunday school sponsored a dance on Friday night. They invited the same age group of the fourth Ward in Raymond to be their guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bevans of Cardston visited relatives here for a few days.

On Monday afternoon the following women called on Mrs. F. W. Hutchinson at the E. K. Bullock home: Mrs. Morrell Elder and Neela of Coaldale, Mrs. Wm. Wilde and Mrs. Jeanine Jensen of Raymond, Mrs. Lee Bullock, Mrs. Glen Bullock, of Raymond, and Mrs. George Bullock and Mrs. Dean Bullock of Welling.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bullock and family spent the week end in Waterton Park.

Mrs. George Bullock received word Monday of the death of her brother Mr. Clifford Ackley of Vinson Iowa in a motor car accident. Mrs. Bullock left immediately for

## Mothers & Daughters Enjoy Get-together

Eighty five mothers and daughters enjoyed a get-together Tuesday evening at the Stake House. The party was under the direction of the 1st Ward M.I.A. Mrs. Lucille Shaw was in charge of the program which included musical numbers from the sisters Merte Judd and Wylene Fisher, Joyanne Rowland, Jean and Joan Holmes, Sheila Roberts and Mrs. Della Holt, Mrs. Elaine Meeks, Mrs. Ruth Nalder. Community singing was under the direction of Mrs. Eleanor Hudson with Miss Shirley Fisher at the piano. A reading was given by Arlene Taylor and talks by Mrs. Zella Taylor of the Stake Board and Miss Irene Hales of the General Board of the YLMA and Mrs. Fanny H. Walker, Chairman of the L.D.S. Girls program of the Taylor Stake. Two skits were much enjoyed featuring Miss Jeanette Heninger, Mrs. Mame Roberts, Mrs. Laura Hirsche and Betty Evans.

Prize for the eldest mother present went to Mrs. Eliza J. Richardson, the youngest mother Mrs. Norma Smith, Mrs. Mary L. Hicken for the mother of the most children. In the mother and daughter calling contest, Mrs. Fanny Litchfield and daughter Mrs. Norma Smith received prizes. After lunch pictures were taken of the group by Mose Fromm.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Hutchinson of Muncie, Indiana left Wednesday morning for home. They went by way of Salt Lake City where they will visit the Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bullock, Mrs. Kate Wilde and Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Taylor went to Ramler Saturday to visit Mr. Amasa Bullock and family. After staying all night, on Sunday they motored to Taber to visit Mr. Welby Bullock and family.

## Wedding Bells Witbeck - Smith

At the home of Bishop William Jensen, Wednesday at 2 p.m., August 18th, a quiet wedding took place when Owen (Brownie) Witbeck, youngest son of Mrs. Bessie Witbeck of Raymond took as his bride Gladys, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alec Smith.

For the occasion the bride chose a light blue silk Jersey afternoon dress with small white hat and white accessories and corsage. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Witbeck of Warner, Mrs. Witbeck wearing a beige afternoon dress with pink corsage.

Bishop Jensen performed the ceremony in the presence of the parents of the young couple, Mrs. Smith wearing a light brown suit and Mrs. Witbeck in an afternoon gown of grey crepe with matching corsages. After a short honeymoon in Calgary the young couple are making their home in Raymond.

## Lions Appreciate Help, Night Show

The Lions were responsible for venturing a new part of our Stampede celebration this year. That was the night show. We think this was a very important part of our show and a very high class performance. We are not likely to see such a group of talented stars often. We should like the public to know that this project was made possible by the unselfish help of the following people in offering four hundred man hours of free labor behind the scenes to get it ready.

Wilson Rolison, David Smith, Phillip Redd, Ross Larson, Pete Witbeck, Barbara Nalder, Gordon Haggie, Thomas Allen, Renan Pack, Marlon Tolstrup, Evan Sabey, Donna Palmer, Laurie Harker, Vivian Scoville, Zina Anderson, Jack Beacom, Allan Nalder, Dee Kenney, John Lintski, Ronald Stevenson, Marjorie Minion, Phyllis Hansen, Edward Seidle Glen Bullock, Gerry Gibb, Cyril Layne, Willa Rae Erickson, Monna Palmer, John Hudson, Stewart Card, June Anderson, Nobuchi Nakashima, Don Sabey, Lloyd Ralph, Roy Minion, Bob Dahl, Vesta Anderson, Thelma Pitcher, Marilyn Wilde, Beatrice Pack, Joe Lintski, Rudolph Audinaert, Lois Milner, Lyman Jacobs, Don Wells, William Anderson, Kay Cook, Rayo Woolf.

Bob and Allan Haggie made five trips to the grounds with truck loads of materials and supplies. The Evans Brothers truck was in use for several hours. The B. A. Products supplied thirty two oil drums for platform and Darrel Miller, the lumber for the platform. The chairman

## Stirling NEWS NOTES

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Forrester and children of Kimberley, B.C. are visiting here at the home of Mrs. Emma Selk.

Miss Shirley Hill of Taber is a guest of her cousin Beverly Schuur. Virgil McKee has just returned home from a business trip to Vancouver.

Mrs. Allen Christensen is receiving medical treatment at the Galt Hospital in Lethbridge.

Mrs. Dora Coleman of Magrath is visiting at the Nels Hogensen home. Bishop and Mrs. Erickson recently had as their guests Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Stevens of Salt Lake and W. R. Stevens of Barnwell.

Mrs. Rulon Bingham and children of Cardston are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. William Christensen. I. B. Roberts, Stake Missionary President and William Anderson, Stake Clerk, of Raymond, were official visitors here Sunday morning.

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of this project, Leon Harker, wishes these people and all those who may have been overlooked, to know that we appreciate their attitude. Fourteen Lions also helped in the work on this night show alone. With such spirit in our community we can put over almost anything.